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1. RETIRED ADMIRAL CHARLES GROJEAN, WHO HAS BEEN SELECTED BY IIN TO BE COMMANDANT OF IRANIAN NAVAL ACADEMY, CALLED ON DEPUTY ASST. SEC. SOBER JULY 25 TO REVIEW STATUS OF NAVAL ACADEMY PROJECT. GROJEAN IS CURRENTLY CONSULTANT TO STANWICK.

2. HE INFORMED US THAT STANWICK REPS WILL MEET WITH IIN IN TEHRAN IN AUGUST 8-10 PERIOD AND PRESENT OPTIONS FOR ESTABLISHING ACADEMY IN U.S. FOR 4-5 YEARS: A) RENTAL OF EITHER BAINBRIDGE, MD. OR QUONSET POINT, RHODE ISLAND, NAVAL BASE, BOTH OF WHICH ARE SCHEDULED TO BE TURNED OVER TO STATE GOVERNMENTS BY USG; OR B) ESTABLISHMENT OF "SUPER-SATELLITE" ROTC PROGRAM AT EITHER SOUTHEAST MASS. UNIVERSITY NEAR NEW BEDFORD OR AT FLORIDA ATLANTIC IN

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BOCA RATON, FLORIDA. BOTH SCHOOLS, HE SAID, ARE VERY

FAVORABLE TO IDEA AND HAVE ADEQUATE FACILITIES. UNDER THIS OPTION STUDENTS WOULD ATTEND REGULAR UNIVERSITY CLASSES; GROJEAN, WHO PERSONALLY FAVORS THIS ROUTE, WOULD

SET UP SEPARATE NAVAL SCIENCE PART OF CURRICULUM. IN EITHER CASE, GROJEAN WOULD HOPE TO DEVELOP FACULTY WHICH COULD BE TRANSFERRED AS UNIT WHEN ACADEMY READY AT BANDAR PAHLAVI.

3. GROJEAN STATED THAT IN LIMITED CONSULTATIONS ON HILL STANWICK FOUND INTERESTED SENATORS POSITIVELY INCLINED TOWARD PROJECT. SOBER NOTED THAT BEFORE FINAL DECISION MADE, WOULD BE DESIRABLE TO UNDERTAKE MORE EXTENSIVE DISCUSSIONS ON HILL TO ASSURE ADEQUATE UNDERSTANDING OF WHAT IS ENVISAGED.

4. IT WAS AGREED THAT AFTER STANWICK MEETING IN TEHRAN WE WOULD MEET AGAIN TO ASSESS SITUATION IN LIGHT OF GOI POSITION. INGERSOLL

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